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Applicant: Carl-Axel Bauer et al.

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: NEW USE FOR BUDESONIDE AND FORMOTEROL

Mail Stop Amendment

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PETITION TO ACCEPT UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED BENEFIT CLAIM

Applicants hereby petition under 37 CFR §1.78(a)(3) that an unintentionally delayed benefit claim under 35 U.S.C. §120 be accepted for the above referenced application. The priority claim should read as follows:

This application is a continuation of U.S.S.N. 09/670,457, filed September 26, 2000 (now abandoned), which is the National Stage application of International Application No. PCT/SE98/01599, filed September 9, 1998, which claims the benefit of Swedish Patent Application No. 0703407-8, filed September 19, 1997. The contents of these applications are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

An amendment to add the priority claim to the specification is included in the Amendment in Reply to Office Action filed herewith. While all of the applications listed in the chain of priority appear correctly on the corrected Official Filing Receipt mailed March 22, 2002, Swedish Patent Application No. 0703407-8 does not appear in the Continuity Data reported on PAIR at the website of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Applicants request that the information in PAIR be corrected to reflect the complete chain of priority.

The entire delay between the date the claim was due under 37 CFR §1.78 (a)(2)(ii) and the date the claim was filed was unintentional.

Enclosed is a check for \$1370 to cover the fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(t), and an Amendment in Reply to Office Action to correct the priority claim in the specification.

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